

Sedalia Evening Democrat.

NEW SERIES.

SEDALIA, MISSOURI, MONDAY, AUGUST 8, 1892.

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CRUSHED BY THE CARS.

A Freight Conductor Well-Known in Sedalia, Run Over and Killed Near St. Louis.

James Kolbohn, a freight conductor on the St. Louis and San Francisco road, met a frightful death Saturday evening, the announcement of which will cause much sorrow in Sedalia. While running out of St. Louis Mr. Kolbohn in some way fell between the cars, a number passing over him, mangle his body frightfully and causing instant death.

The unfortunate young man (he was only 22) had been in the enjoyment of a well deserved position from braving only about three months.

He formerly lived in Sedalia being employed in the store department of the M. K. & T. railroad. He left here some four or five years ago but was back again last winter on a short visit to Sedalia. He was the nephew of Julius Kolbohn, chief local car inspector, and was also related to Depot Master Carnes by marriage. The funeral will be held at Pacific to-morrow, where his grandmother lives. A highly esteemed member of the B. & L. and K. of P. and possessing many noble traits of character, his funeral will call fourth a large gathering of sorrowing friends.

NEXT WEEK.

The Fair Will Not be the Only Attraction—Convention of Book-Sellers and Camp-Meeting.

Sedalia's capacity for entertaining visitors will be taxed next week as never before. There is no doubt but what the fair will attract a larger number than on any previous occasion, and, added to the thousands who will come hither on this account, is the state convention of book-sellers, which, in common with the annual camp-meeting of Seventh Day Adventists, will be held on Wednesday, the 17th, two days following the opening of the fair.

The booksellers association numbers something above one hundred members and it is expected that a full representation will be had at the convention. Headquarters have been provided at the Commercial club rooms where all meetings will be held. The local book dealers have constituted themselves a committee on reception and preparations have been made to entertain their fellows royally. They will be driven over the city, taken to the fair grounds and extended all the courtesies characteristic of Sedalia.

The object of the convention is to exchange ideas on book selling and so far as the dealers are able protect one another by establishing uniform prices, etc.

The convention will be held behind closed doors.

The officers of the association are Wm. McIlwraith, of Chillicothe, president; T. S. Kelly, of Moberly, secretary; and C. S. Dexter, of Sedalia, treasurer.

POLICE COURT.

Blue Monday Does Not Make a Large Showing of Law Breakings.

The Monday morning court was not as large to-day as usual, the hot weather perhaps being too suggestive of a place much talked about but never seen.

Frank Morris got on a nice, hot old Sunday "jag" and almost exploded. He commenced blowing off steam, however, and the officers nabbed him. A fine of \$5 was assessed and Frank now pulverizes rock.

Jas. McKimon, Harry Carter and Wm. Clark were arrested for trespassing. A fine of \$5 with a stay was marked against them.

Romola Hirdze, a Spanish woman of the town was up for late hours though the evidence showed that she was simply changing her place of abode. On being asked her occupation, Romola stepped up in a tough way and told the court that she was a "dead game sport." She was dismissed.

John Shields, drunk, was fined \$6 and was sent below.

Buried Yesterday.

Mattie, the fifteen-months-old daughter of Conductor Marshal DeHaven and wife, died last Saturday at the family home, No. 1207 East Eleventh street. The funeral took place from the house at 1:30 p. m. yesterday, Rev. J. B. Bolter, officiating. The sympathy of their many friends is extended to Mr. and Mrs. DeHaven in their bereavement.

At Fertile.

Pertle Springs is proving quite an attraction to Sedalians on Sundays

on account of the extremely low rates. Quite a large number visited the resort yesterday, among them being F. H. Eastey, Sam Osborne, Fred Morton, Leonard Ramsey, J. West Goodwin and Charley Cook. The Methodist camp meeting, which has been in progress there for a week past, closed last night, the concluding sermon being preached by Rev. D. Lewis.

LIST COMPLETED.

The Different Committees Appointed to Superintend the Rally.

The democratic county executive committee, this afternoon made the following full and complete report of the different committees appointed to make all necessary arrangements for the grand democratic rally to be held in Sedalia on August 30th.

Committee on arrangements—T. F. Mitchum, chairman; John Cashman, W. C. Overstreet, V. P. Hart, J. H. Pilkington.

On finances—John N. Dalby, chairman; W. D. Steele, W. B. Mackey, Geo. P. B. Jackson, Joe P. Herrington.

On transportation—George P. B. Jackson, chairman; J. W. Allen, E. W. Stevens.

On advertising—George F. Longan, E. G. Cassidy, W. B. Mackey, J. R. Wade, R. M. Scotten.

On transparencies and decorations—R. H. Gray, chairman; R. D. Fletcher, "Fatty" Howard, E. R. Marvin, Bell Collier, Chas. Carroll, Chas. S. Dexter.

On reception—Wm. Courtney, chairman; H. H. Knox, E. E. Johnson, S. H. Beller, E. E. Kennedy, P. B. Stratton, Dan Lyons, J. West Goodwin, W. H. Powell, Jr., E. G. Cassidy, T. Finn, T. A. Fowler, John T. Smith, F. A. Nichols, Adam Ittel, Font Merriweather, Dug Nelson, German Wolf, J. H. Reeves, D. T. Clifford, Wm. Hill, Clem Honkomp, Dr. Muehl, Ed. Woolford, J. N. Dalby, Mike McGinley, J. E. Dillon, E. F. Yancey, Mike Ward, John Luther and Ed ward Hurley.

On speakers—O. A. Crandall, chairman, Geo. F. Longan, Chas. Yeater and W. B. Mackey.

A GOOD WOMAN GONE.

Mrs. J. W. McCurdy Suddenly Passes Away at Her Home Near Georgetown.

Mrs. J. W. McCurdy, living 6 miles northwest of Sedalia, died very suddenly Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Her death resulted from heart affection, a malady from which she has suffered for several years.

The McCurdy family is one of the oldest and most prominent in Pettis county, the husband and wife having moved here from Kentucky as early as 1857, living here continuously ever since. Mrs. McCurdy was about 60 years old. She was a devout member of the Baptist church and has from girlhood lived a consistent Christian life.

Eight children, all now grown to manhood and womanhood, survive to comfort the aged father now left to travel the remainder of life's journey alone.

The funeral services were held from the family residence this afternoon, Rev. Dr. J. B. Fuller, officiating. Afterwards the remains were brought to Sedalia and interred in the city cemetery.

A New Law's Delay.

From the Philadelphia Ledger.

A New Jersey lawyer has devised a way of saving the necks of convicted murderers for a time at least. About the time of the execution he applies for a writ of habeas corpus, and this being refused, he takes an appeal to the United States supreme court, thus getting the case hung up instead of his client. About the third time that he does this plainly for purposes of delay he should be disbarred as a punishment for himself and a warning to others.

Stretching the Wire.

The Sedalia electric street railway is stretching its trolley wire along Third street to-day. Judge Mettsker does not propose to be left in the lurch and with his usual push and enterprise is taking time by the forelock.

Deals in Dirt.

The following real estate transfer was recorded to-day: George H. Walters to Louis Bahner, lot 4, block 4, E. F. Brown's first addition. Consideration, \$1,400.

Marriage License.

Marriage license was issued by Recorder Pilkington to Carl Carlson and Della Jones to-day.

PASSED TO HER REST.

The Funeral Services of Mrs. Edward Burke at Independence Yesterday.

At 2:30 p. m. yesterday, Sunday afternoon, there was a very impressive funeral service from St. Mary's Catholic church, Independence, Mo., occasioned by the death of Mary, the beloved wife of Edward Burke, one of the Missouri Pacific's most reliable engineers. Mrs. Burke died Friday about 6 p. m. from congestion of the stomach, after a short illness of less than two weeks. Her loss is to be sadly deplored as she was a most estimable lady and leaves a family of a husband and five children to mourn her loss. The pall bearers were John Hogan, Edward Winstanly, Michael Brady and Hugh Gunn, of Independence, Mo., and Messrs. M. W. Cadle and W. E. Donnelly, of Sedalia, the latter two gentlemen coming direct from St. Louis to pay their respects to the family in their bereavement. There was a large assemblage of friends and relatives. The kind people of Independence did everything in their power to show their sympathy in Mr. Burke's sad misfortune.

Changed Her Mind.

Wm. Bradford, a carpenter, gave his wife a lively thumping on Aug. 3rd. He is said to have trounced her most roundly. The war was carried into Africa by a warrant being sworn out for Bradford's arrest. It was set for a hearing in Judge Leven's court this morning, but the aggrieved wife failed to show up, having business at some other place. She is said to be in Wichita.

Bradford is said to exert an un-

Sneed having withdrawn, L. A. Monsees will make the race for judge of the eastern district. J. A. Boyd, of Longwood, was appointed a delegate to the Fifteenth district senatorial convention to be held at Marshall on the 15th inst. Mr. Boyd was instructed to select two other delegates to represent Pettis county in the convention.

The county union will meet with the county and township committees at the Truth office next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Important business will be transacted.

Deserving Women.

The ladies of the Sedalia Hospital fund have been thinking seriously of serving meals at the fair, but it is more than probable that they will not do it, as the cost for the privilege is more than they feel able to pay. There is now \$2160.99 in the treasury, \$40, the last contribution, being kindly donated by T. M. Sayman, the soap man.

The annual election of officers will take place at the Commercial club rooms on the first Tuesday in September. The ladies are anxious that the hospital fund receive a new boom and a number of plans are being devised whereby it can be increased. It is proposed to make the election meeting a big one and arouse all possible enthusiasm.

Fine Workmen.

The stone work on the new Hoffman building at Fifth and Ohio is attracting a great deal of attention. It is highly artistic from every standpoint and plainly shows that the gentlemen who have chiselled the figures are sculptors of more than ordinary ability.

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Oxfords
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Slippers



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A New Line Just Received at Wm. Courtney's.

usual influence over her, and it is the opinion that he is responsible for her disappearance, to escape prosecution. The case was continued until August 15th.

THE GREEN RIDGE RALLIES

Both the Democratic and Republican Parties Celebrate Last Saturday.

The democrats and the republicans filled the progressive little town of Green Ridge to over flowing last Saturday. Both parties had a rally and much enthusiasm was manifested by the rivalry.

Parson Trone, of Clinton, and Hon. W. D. Steele, of Sedalia, made rousing democratic speeches and were cheered to the echo.

P. D. Hastain, of Sedalia, expounded the republican doctrines on the rival platform and altogether an interesting time was had.

Those whose tastes ran to field sports were entertained by a match game between the Georgetown nine and the home players. Green Ridge carried off the banner.

The hospitable citizens of Green Ridge made unusual exertions to take care of their visitors, and all who have ever enjoyed the good things to eat found in that little town can well know that their previous reputation was more than upheld.

New Candidates.

The executive committee of the people's party of Pettis county met at the Truth office late Saturday afternoon and made a number of changes in the ticket. Dr. G. W. Bothwell was selected as candidate for coroner to fill the place of J. McGarry, resigned. Capt. J. M.

WILL RAIN FOR MONEY.

Modern Mortals Put a Tax Upon Heaven in a Matter of Fact Way.

The old story that there is nothing new under the sun is almost disproved by the rainmakers who have operated in the different arid districts of the United States during the past year. The following from the Parsons Sun gives the terms of these gentlemen:

In a reply to a letter written by John Dean to Melbourne, the rainmaker, asking terms for operating in this vicinity, the following answer was received last night:

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E. F. MURPHY,

President Inter-State Artificial Rain Company.

Died This Morning.

P. G. Stafford received a message to-day from Rev. Marquis at Frederickburg, Ohio, saying that Mrs. Marquis died this morning from a surgical operation.

Funeral Wednesday, at that place, it being her old home.

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Robbed Her Employer.

A coon has the reputation of pilfering everything it can find. The record was upheld by Eva Crow, a mulatto domestic in the employ of Dave Dodge, the well known mail-carrier, who proceeded to carry off a lot of flower trimmings, some gold, towels and napkins, the whole valued at \$6.15.

She was taken before Justice Levens this morning and her case set for hearing at 9 in the morning. In the default of a \$50 bond she was sent to jail.

The First in Sedalia.

Joseph Altemueller is an 18-year-old gentleman whose patriotism is of the right kind. At the corner of fourteenth and Hancock streets he has erected the first Cleveland and Stevenson pole in the city. It is sixty feet high and has a banner floating at the top with the names of his candidates properly inscribed upon it. Such young men as Mr. Altemueller are the kind that make our best citizens and give big democratic majorities.

Wisdom.

Wisdom is the name god gives to religion, so telling the world what it was not aware of and will hardly yet believe, that the two great things that so engross the desires and designs both of the nobler and ignobler sort of mankind are to be found in religion, viz., wisdom and pleasure, and that the former is the direct way to the latter, as religion is both.

Prohibition Meeting.

The regular bi-monthly meeting of the county executive committee for the prohibition party met at the court house at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Nothing of importance was done outside of routine work.

The executive committee is composed of E. E. McClelland, J. M. Cain, Van B. Wisker, Dr. Woodfin and C. W. Robbins.

The Deadly Weapon.

The pistol used by Mrs. Jennie Choteau for suicidal purposes, is now in possession of Mr. Wallace, proprietor of the Main street pawn shop and second-hand store. It is of the American Arms company make, has a 38-calibre and a 4½ inch barrel.

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The EVENING DEMOCRAT.

"I would earnestly advise them for their good to order this paper to be punctually served up and to be looked upon as a part of the tea equipage."—ADDISON.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Patrons of the EVENING DEMOCRAT will confer a favor upon the management by promptly reporting any irregularity in delivery or bad condition of paper from improper handling.

THERE will be no trouble about getting to and from the fair grounds. Judge Metsker will have the Sixteenth street and Third street electric lines in operation.

THE interest in the fair which begins here on the 15th is growing daily, and everything indicates the most gratifying success. There will be more fine stock than has ever been seen at a fair in Central Missouri.

ASSESSOR LOGAN, who attended the Green Ridge democratic rally on Saturday, says the meeting was a success. Parson Trone and Mr. Steele made eloquent speeches and a club was organized amid great enthusiasm.

MR. CHAS. DENNY, who was nominated for county surveyor by the third party without his knowledge and consent, is not at all pleased at the failure of the party managers to take his name off of the ticket. He has requested three times that his name be taken off and he says he intends that it shall come off.

CHICAGO asked for the World's fair with the distinct understanding that her business men would furnish the money to make it a success. They will make untold millions in profits out of the multitudes who attend the show and ought to pay the expenses. Those tried and true democrats who opposed the appropriation will be endorsed by their constituents.

THE state democratic committee has decided to hold a grand rally in this city on August 30th. There will be visitors here from all parts of the state, but it is the local democracy that must make the meeting a success as a vote maker. Pettis county democrats must of necessity do their effective work in Pettis county. Give the local ticket an earnest and enthusiastic support and you strengthen the party in the state. To do this the democracy must organize in every township. Get together and come to the rally together. Let each township try to

send the largest delegation, and let the grand parade show the democracy of Pettis county in line for the whole ticket from Cleveland to Clopton. Don't wait for anybody in the matter of organization. If the rally is a success and the party victorious it must be by the earnest efforts of the masses of the party. Let some one or more well known democrats in each township take the lead and with the township committeeman go to work at once, and remember that he who does the best work for the whole ticket will win the highest place in the confidence of the party.

"SCOOPED."

There was a quiet little meeting attended by Chairman Logan and four or five other democrats at the court house on Friday night to appoint the committees to arrange for the grand democratic rally.

Nothing was known of the matter by the general public until Sunday morning when the *Gazette*, the organ of the republican party of Sedalia, published the proceedings. The unusual spectacle of the *Gazette* containing matter that had not previously appeared in one of the afternoon papers caused something of a sensation, especially as the *Gazette*—which had been foremost in abusing individual democrats in particular and what it called the "court house ring" in general—was made the medium for giving information concerning a democratic meeting.

The democratic papers were grieved good naturedly by their friends and many were the explanations offered.

One gentleman suggested that the meeting had really desired to keep the rally a profound secret and spring it, as a pleasant surprise, upon the party on the morning of the 30th.

Another thought the hot weather had the effect of putting the live young men of the DEMOCRAT and *Barsoo* to sleep and thus causing them to be for once "scooped" by their republican contemporary.

Another gentleman, who is well informed politically, explained that the whole thing had occurred by reason of the gentlemen who were at the meeting desiring to recognize in a delicate way the great services the *Gazette* had performed for the democratic party.

"You must know," said the gentleman, "that in the late city election the *Gazette* by its course did more than anything else to defeat Judge Bailey and the republican ticket, and recently it made a break that has ruined any chance that Ellis Smith might have had to be county collector; of course the democrats can't publicly thank the *Gazette* for its involuntary assistance in killing off republican candidates, but in an indirect way they can show that they appreciate what it is to have a bull in the opposition china shop, and they want to keep Editor Streit encouraged until after the election. It may be that this was the reason for the courtesy shown the *Gazette*." "I am satisfied," said the gentleman, "that the managers of the meeting meant no discourtesy either to the democratic papers or to the democratic party in giving the facts concerning the arrangements being made for the rally to a republican paper in advance of any others."

This explanation seemed satisfactory to the crowd.

THE ability and zeal with which Hon. John T. Heard has served his constituents is so universally recognized that he has been three times nominated without opposition. This is a compliment rarely paid any man in this age when there are so many able statesmen ready to accept a seat in congress. Mr. Heard, however, deserves the honor. He has been faithful at all times and under all circumstances. Nothing has ever turned him from the earnest advocacy of those measures necessary to the prosperity of the people of his district. So universally are his merits recognized that an ovation awaits him in all parts of the district—the southern counties as well as the northern and central being enthusiastic in their support of so faithful a public servant.

THE democratic house, says the *Republic*, voted no subsidies; authorized no corporation bounties; encouraged no land grabs; passed

no force bills or McKinley bills; counted no quorums; unseated no republicans who had been elected; passed no laws increasing class privileges, and did all that could be done against Pinkerton plutocracy. This is record enough for any democratic house.

ANYTHING TO WIN.

While the republicans cling to a high protective tariff as the one hope of perpetuity of power through the wealth thus secured to them, they admit the inherent weakness of their cause by seeking to hedge it about wherever opportunity presents itself, says the *Detroit Free Press*. They made a concession to tariff reform when they indorsed reciprocity, and now they display their want of confidence in their own political creed by nominating Knute Nelson for governor of Minnesota.

The republicans have insisted that the tariff had nothing to do with the overthrow in the northwest two years ago. They attribute it to local causes, such as prohibition in Iowa and troubles regarding the school question in Illinois and Wisconsin. But the nomination of Nelson is an admission that these pretenses were false and that the obnoxious McKinley law was the direct cause of the defeat. Nelson is a tariff reformer, voted for the Morrison bill, and in advocating it used this language:

"It has been the fashion of certain economists to ascribe the marvelous growth of this country for the past twenty-five years wholly to our tariff laws. Statistics of growth in all conceivable forms have been paraded, accompanied with the exclamation: 'Behold the tariff!' This is all pure exaggeration. The chief factors have been our abundant supply of the most fertile lands in the world, which we have freely given away under our homestead laws, together with the immense tide of immigration, with all its capital of money and muscle."

Mr. Nelson has never repudiated this speech, but is reported to be more of a tariff reformer than ever, his nomination being due to the popularity of the views which he holds on this subject. Thousands of Minnesota republicans desire to see a reform of the tariff and many of them will shrewdly conclude that the shortest way to the attainment of their purpose will be in voting for Cleveland and Stevenson. The governor of Minnesota cannot aid them materially in securing the desired reformatory legislation. He is put up as a concession to republican tariff reformers, and a confession of weakness is thus made which will find its verification in November.

THE republican organ criticizes Congressman Heard for refusing to vote the people's money into the pockets of the Chicago World's Fair speculators. The more of that kind of criticism the organ indulges in the stronger Mr. Heard will be before the people.

THE DEMOCRAT commends to the democrats of Pettis county the course pursued by the democrats of Green Ridge. Organize! Wait for nobody. Go ahead and get ready for the fray.

CONSCIOUSNESS IN WRITING.

Self-Consciousness Makes You a Poor Writer and Bad Speaker.

Richard Grant White.

As both writing and speaking are the expression of thought through language, this capacity for the one, joined to an incapacity for the other, is naturally the occasion of remark, and has, I believe, never been accounted for. I think that it will be found that consciousness, which generally causes more or less embarrassment of one kind or other is at the bottom of this apparent incongruity.

The man who writes in a clear and fluent style, but who, when he undertakes to speak, more than to say yes or no, or what he would like for dinner, hesitates and utters confusion, does so because he is made self-conscious by the presence of others when he speaks, but gives himself unconsciously to the expression of his thought when he looks only upon the words which he is writing. He who speaks with ease and grace, but who writes in a crabbed, involved style, forgets himself when he looks at others, and is occupied by himself when he is alone. His consciousness, and the effort that he makes on the one hand to throw it off and on the other to meet its demand upon him, confuse his thoughts, which throng,

and jostle and clash, instead of moving steadily onward with one consent together.

Mere unconsciousness has had much to do with the charming style of many women's letters. Women's style when they write books, is generally bad with all varieties of badness; but their epistolary style is as generally excellent in all the ways of excellence. A letter written by a bright, cultivated woman—and she need not be a highly educated or a much instructed woman, but merely one whose intercourse is with cultivated people—and written merely to tell you something that interests her and that she wishes you to know, with much care about what she says and no care as to how she says it, will, in twelve cases out of a baker's dozen, be not only irreproachably correct in expression, but very charming.

Some literary women, though few, are able to carry this clear, fluent, idiomatic English style into their books. Mrs. Jameson, Charlotte Bronte and perhaps George Eliot are prominent instances in point. Mrs. Trollope's book, "The Domestic Manners of the Americans," which made her name known and caused it to be detested, unjustly in this country, is written in this delightful style—easy-flowing and clear, like a beautiful stream, reflecting from its placid surface whatever it passes by adding in the reflection a charm to the image which is not in the object, and distorting only when it is dimpled by gaiety or crisped by a flow of satire or a ripple of humor. It is worth reading only for its style. It may be studied to advantage and emulated but not imitated, for all about it that is worthy of emulation is inimitable. Mr. Anthony Srollope's mastery of our language was inherited, but he did not come into possession of quite all the material estate.

I say that Mrs. Trollope's book had been unjustly censured because all her descriptions were true to life. She described, however, only that which struck her as peculiar, and her acquaintance with the country was made among the most uncultivated people.

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Pensions.

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Take Notice.

All citizens who can entertain visitors during the fair are requested to send in their names and address, and the number of guests they can take, and the price, either to the secretary of the Fair association or the City clerk.

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| No. 4, Chicago Exp's, | 5:50 p. m. | 6:10 p. m. | |

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| No. 200, Accommodation, | 3:00 p. m. | | |
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| No. 3 Night Express, | 3:15 a. m. | 3:25 a. m. | |
| No. 5 Local Pass'g'r, | 3:15 p. m. | 3:40 p. m. | |
| No. 7 Fast Mail, | 7:55 a. m. | 8:00 a. m. | |
| No. 9 Texas Express, | 4:55 a. m. | | |
| No. 7 does not carry passengers. | | | |

| MAIN LINE. | | WESTBOUND. | EASTBOUND. |
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| | | Arrive. | Leave. |
| No. 2 Day Express, | 12:35 p. m. | 12:40 p. m. | |
| No. 4 Night Express, | 11:55 p. m. | 12:01 a. m. | |
| No. 6 Local Pass'g'r, | 10:40 a. m. | 10:45 a. m. | |
| No. 8 Night Exp'r's, | 12:40 a. m. | 12:45 a. m. | |

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| WESTBOUND. | | Arrive. | Leave. |
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| No. 193 Colorado Exp's | 3:05 a. m. | | |
| No. 191 Local Pass'g'r, | 3:45 p. m. | | |
| No. 197 Local Freight, | 10:55 a. m. | | |
| EASTBOUND. | | Arrive. | Leave. |
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OATES' REPORT.

The Troubles at Homestead Treated Cautiously.

THE INVESTIGATION NOT COMPLETED.

While the Men Are Generously Condemned, Mr. Frick is Shown to Be One of Those Individuals Who Cause Strife.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—Mr. Oates, chairman of the sub-committee of the house which investigated the labor trouble at Homestead and the connection of the Pinkerton detectives therewith, submitted a report to the committee which was agreed to. No member questioned its correctness. His statements of facts are conclusions of laws; but the republican members of the committee would not assent to what he said upon the tariff and a majority of the democratic members of the committee thought it impolitic to make any report until the entire investigation was completed, which could not be done before the second session of congress. Therefore a postponement of the report was made until next winter.

The report prepared by Mr. Oates having been rejected by the committee, he gave it to the public as his individual opinion of the matters investigated. The report begins with a statement of the movements of the sub-committee, followed by a description of the works at Homestead, the number of employees, the rate of wages, the negotiations between the company and the Amalgamated association preceding the outbreak, the contentions of both sides and finally an account of the disastrous ending of the attempt to land the Pinkertons. The report says that the Pinkertons who surrendered were brutally and outrageously treated, principally by women and boys, and Mr. Oates is loath to believe that any of these women are native Americans. He says that the indignities to which they were subjected were a disgrace to civilization. Mr. Oates asks whether the Carnegie firm was justified in equity and good conscience in proposing the reduction in wages.

"I answer," he says, "that Mr. Frick declined to state the cost of a ton of steel billets and the labor cost. The men were paid satisfactory wages, but the work much abbreviates the natural period of life and should be well paid for."

He thinks that the company should have some of the benefits of the profits resulting from the use of improved machinery. He condemns the McKinley law for its failure to benefit the American workmen and says the promises made to the operatives have been disappointing. Had Mr. Frick stated the bottom facts to the committee they would have agreed that the proposition to reduce wages was justifiable, but they took issue with him in his conclusion that the tariff did not cause a decline in prices. Mr. Oates finds further that the conduct of the company toward its employees was kind in many respects. It loaned them money at low interest to build them homes and never foreclosed mortgages; but in the negotiations the officers did not exercise patience, indulgence and solicitude, and Mr. Frick, according to the report, who is a business man of great intelligence, seems to have been too stern, brusque and somewhat autocratic.

Mr. Oates is persuaded that had Mr. Frick appealed to the reason of the employees and shown the state of the company's affairs, the reduction might have been made and no trouble have followed. Mr. Oates finds that the Pennsylvania law contains nothing to prevent Mr. Frick from employing Pinkerton men as watchmen at Homestead, but says that under the circumstances he should not have done so. He made overtures to the Pinkertons before the negotiations with the men were interrupted and did not appeal to the county or state authorities in the first instance for protection. He asserts that Sheriff McCleary is a very inefficient officer, but says that had Mr. Frick aided him and joined in his appeal to the governor, instead of employing Pinkertons, the state would have furnished a sufficient force to have protected the property.

Mr. Oates condemns as unlawful the acts of the workmen in turning away the sheriff and as insulting in hanging in effigy Messrs. Frick and Potter. He says it was the purpose of the Amalgamated association to prevent the employment of non-union men, and he declares that no organization has a right to enforce its wishes by strong handed defiance of law. The men had no legal right to resist the coming of the Pinkertons and are answerable to the Pennsylvania courts. In conclusion Mr. Oates finds that congress has no power over the question involved. The enactment of a satisfactory arbitration law is well high impossible. As to whether congress has the power to regulate or suppress the Pinkerton men, Mr. Oates says he has no conclusion to express until the completion of the investigation next session.

Death of an Aged Journalist.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 8.—James Scammon, aged 82 years, one of the oldest of American journalist and printers, died Thursday night. He established the Portland (Me.) Transcript in 1832 and was its editor for several years. He removed to Chicago in 1869 and lost all his earthly possessions by the big fire in 1871. He came to Little Rock in 1888.

Buchan Nominated.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 8.—The republican convention of Wyandotte county, Kan., this afternoon renominated W. J. Buchan for the state senate. The convention is still in progress and will nominate a full county ticket.

Mrs. Mary B. Willard, mother of Frances E. Willard, died at her home in Evanston, Chicago. She was 88 years of age.

THE END OF HIM.

George Hudson, a Desperado, Killed While Resisting Arrest.

JOPLIN, Mo., Aug. 8.—The notorious thief and murderer, George Hudson, was shot and killed about 11 o'clock Saturday night in his saloon at Granby while resisting arrest for a heavy robbery.

When, a few weeks ago, the farcical trial was ended at Rolla which resulted in his acquittal of the charge of murdering Dr. L. G. Howard at Joplin on the night of September 16, 1886, Hudson announced that the black flag was up and that he proposed to revenge himself upon all who had taken an active part in his prosecution. He endeavored to make his words good and several of the state's witnesses were compelled to sacrifice their property and leave Granby. He had the people of the little town terrorized and carried things with a high hand. The necessity for ridding the country of him became so urgent that an inquiry was begun to ascertain whether he was wanted to answer for any crimes in Colorado, to which state he had gone immediately after the raid made by his gang on Webb City in 1876.

A member of the gang of outlaws which Hudson led while he was in Colorado was found and he gave valuable information. Evidence was discovered fastening several crimes upon Hudson. An old man named Shultz was found at Granite pass whom Hudson had waylaid and robbed of \$1,700 in 1879 and a charge was brought against him in that case. A requisition was made upon Gov. Francis and a writ was issued directing Carl Stout, a police officer of this city, to arrest Hudson.

Stout left for Granby Saturday evening accompanied by William Rabodeu, a special messenger for the state of Colorado, and four other special officers. They arrived at Granby about 10 o'clock and found Hudson in his saloon.

Stout and Rabodeu entered the saloon and called for two bottles of beer. Hudson took the bottles from an ice chest and as he turned around Stout covered him with a revolver and called upon him to submit to arrest. Hudson with an oath caught the officer's revolver with his left hand and struck him a vicious blow with a beer bottle. Hudson struggled desperately for possession of the revolver and the officers were compelled to shoot him. Rabodeu fired the first shot and the ball struck Hudson in the head. Stout's revolver was discharged in the struggle and the bullet passed through Hudson's heart.

THOSE HEBREW CHILDREN.

They Do Up a "Wrong Tount" That Wandered Into the Synagogue.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 8.—Saturday which was the Jewish Sabbath, at 5:30 in the afternoon, the hour when the descendants of Jacob meet to pray and listen to a discourse from a rabbi, the synagogue of the Sons of Jacob was filled with devout worshippers.

A strange rabbi, for such he was taken to be, arose and began to preach in the Hebrew tongue. He was clever and the audience was much taken with him. Suddenly he began to preach Christ crucified.

A match dropped into a can of powder could not have created a greater commotion. Instantly the congregation was on its feet demanding that the man be put out of the house. The man continued to preach Christ as though talking to the most appreciative audience, and a moment later everybody made a rush for him at once. He attempted to defend himself, but was knocked down and after his head was thumped on the floor, he was dragged and thrown out of the synagogue. The stranger took the hint and concluded that he was not wanted there.

It seems that the stranger was a converted Polish Jew named Nathaniel Friedman, who lives at 626 Lawson street. He claims that he was invited by a prominent member of the Sons of Jacob and told that he might preach a short sermon. Friedman stated that he would bring suit against the Sons of Jacob to recover damages for his injuries, etc. Friedman is not seriously hurt, but has some big bumps on his head.

Clericals Attacked.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—A Rome dispatch to the News describing the encounter between the clericals and the liberals says: "The liberals, shouting the names of Garibaldi and Bruno, attacked the clericals at different portions of the route. The police reinforcements arrived too late to protect the Columbian statue. No knives were used, but many of the combatants were injured by being hit with fists or sticks. A man named Tolomei received a thrust from the lance head of a flag and was so severely wounded that he had to be taken to a hospital."

Monetary Commissioners.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—The names of the five commissioners who are to represent the United States at the coming international monetary conference are officially announced. They are: Senator William P. Allison, of Iowa; Senator John P. Jones, of Nevada; Congressman James P. McCreary, of Kentucky; Ex-Comptroller Henry W. Cannon, of New York, and Gen. Francis A. Walker, of Massachusetts. With the exception of Mr. McCreary these names have all been among those discussed for the appointment.

Rainmakers Unsuccessful.

FORT SCOTT, Kan., Aug. 8.—The rain-makers from Goodland, Kan., who came here Friday night have not yet succeeded in producing the promised moisture, but as they have one day left in which to make good their claims, rain may come yet. Heavy black clouds are hovering about, though there is in them but little sign of rain. The citizens' committee stand ready to pay over the \$1,000 agreed upon if sufficient rain falls before to-night to comply with the terms of the contract.

In anticipation of an increased business next year the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railway Co. intends to expend \$10,000,000 to \$12,000,000 this year in extensions with track betterments and new equipment.

A revolution is reported in Bolivia.

THIRSTY CORN.

Critical Condition of the Kansas Crop.

VALUE OF A SHOWER OF RAIN.

If It Does Not Come in a Short While the Yield Will Be Only Sub-bins and Poor Food.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 8.—Dispatches received late last night from various sections of the corn belt in Kansas indicate pretty plainly that the corn is suffering from lack of rain, and that already considerable damage has been done. Rain is needed, and in some sections it is needed badly. The weather conditions during the next few days will determine, to a great extent, the volume of the Kansas corn crop and the farmers are anxiously awaiting the outcome. The local signal service bureau announced last night that it would be cooler to-day, but that there were no indications of rain for this section. The excessive heat of the past week, which has prevailed over the entire southwest and which has been accompanied by rain in but few sections, has accomplished the injury to the crop. Up to a week ago the corn was in a condition better than fair, and with the assistance of a general rain, the prospects pointed to a magnificent yield. But the much desired moisture has failed to materialize and the condition of the crop in consequence is daily growing worse. All now depends on the weather of the ensuing week.

Below are given the reports of the condition of the crop in various sections of the corn belt.

FORT SCOTT, Kan., Aug. 8.—The weather in the next few days has all to do with the failure or success of the corn crop of Bourbon county. The acreage of corn is the largest ever planted in the county, and until recently the largest yield ever harvested was anticipated. No rain has fallen here for nearly four weeks, and the corn is just beginning to blast. It is irregular in growth owing to lateness of planting. Many of the fields are but little over half grown, while others are topped and eared, though not fully. If it does not rain in a few days the crop will be mostly lost, while on the other hand a bountiful shower would mature a good crop, and two seasons' rains would make a heavy yield. The crop has, however, already been damaged.

PITTSBURG, Kan., Aug. 8.—Up to the present time the corn in this county has suffered from lack of rain, though for a couple of days the blades have been curling, as it is now in tassel and the ears are filling. A rain would add much to yield.

COFFEYVILLE, Kan., Aug. 8.—Farmers from different parts of the county all agree that the corn crop will be short, but they differ in the estimate of percentage. A conservative estimate is that the entire county will average about two-thirds of last year's crop. Early corn is already made and there is some good late corn in the bottom lands, but ridge corn is suffering badly and in some sections will be an entire failure.

OTTAWA, Kan., Aug. 8.—The prospect for a corn crop throughout this county is generally fair, but unless we can get a rain within the next week it will be materially injured. In some parts of the county there is quite a little complaint on account of dry weather and there is fear of a short crop. There is some talk of trying to induce the rain-makers to come to Franklin county.

ABILENE, Kan., Aug. 8.—Dickinson county corn needs rain badly. None has fallen for ten days. Good judges say that not half a crop will be made unless more comes immediately. Occasional fields look promising, but the general condition is quite serious.

SALINA, Kan., Aug. 8.—From present indications the corn of Saline county will make two-thirds of a crop. Should rain fall within a few days the prospects would be greatly improved.

KINGMAN, Kan., Aug. 8.—Corn is damaged half. Greater damage is reported from the south and west.

CHANUTE, Kan., Aug. 8.—The corn crop in this, Neosho, county will not average twenty-five per cent unless a rain is received in a short time. The hot winds during the day are very noticeable.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Aug. 8.—Reports from this, Otoe, county show corn in excellent condition with occasional rains. A full crop is assured and farmers say corn can stand a great deal of dry weather and should there be a drought, which is hardly possible, the yield will average two-thirds of a crop.

EMPORIA, Kan., Aug. 8.—Well informed persons here say the crop of Lyon county will not average sixty per cent. of a full crop and may go less, if rain is not had within forty-eight hours. Weather prophets predict rain, however, in less time than that.

WEIR CITY, Kan., Aug. 8.—Farmers and others directly interested claim a three-fourths corn crop from present indications. Rain is very badly needed. Should none fall in the next 30 days the crop will be a failure.

The Collis Train Robbers.

VISALIA, Cal., Aug. 8.—Evans and Son-tag, the Collis train robbers, went to Evans' house near here about 12 o'clock last night, and after eating supper went to the barn, undoubtedly to secure hidden coin, as a hole filled with fresh dirt was found in the barn this morning. Deputy Sheriff Oscar Beaver saw the men at the barn and opened fire. The shots were returned by the robbers, wounding Beaver so that he died at 6 o'clock this morning. Fifteen shots were exchanged, Beaver firing eight. Some of his shots wounded the robbers' horses so that one had to be killed.

Gored by a Bull.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Aug. 8.—Mrs. Robert Stone, of Alcony, was gored to death yesterday by a bull. Her stomach was ripped open for fifteen inches.

CLOSING OF CONGRESS.

Members Hasten From the Capital, Eager to Reach Home.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—The first session of the Fifty-second congress closed at 11 o'clock Friday night and all the late trains out of the city bore away statesmen eager to be at home looking after fences.

The last work of the session was the presentation at the evening meeting of both houses of the conference reports on the sundry civil appropriation bill. This carried \$27,827,000—\$9,600,000 less than the senate's provisions and \$2,614,000 more than the house's original measure. In the house it was agreed to, 169 to 14, after Mr. O'Neill had denounced the elision of the Pinkerton clause. In the senate there was no division.

In the senate the last half hour was occupied with resolutions of thanks to Messrs. Morton and Manderson, presented by Messrs. Harris and Cockrell. Then Mr. Morton made his little speech and the statesmen assembled scattered to their homes.

Gladstone's Predicament.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—The point on which conservatives rely to break any lengthy lease of power by the liberals is this: If Gladstone's home rule bill is enacted into law Irish members would be deprived of a vote on measures pertaining solely to the rest of the kingdom. This would soon arise, when the conservatives would defeat the liberals and force Gladstone to resign. Per contra, however, should Salisbury resume power he would be defeated on the first imperial matter coming to a vote in the house of commons. This would be a state of affairs not to be thought of. If Irish home rule comes in a practicable shape, it must come with English, Welsh and Scotch home rule, or possibly imperial federation.

Mrs. Harrison Very Sick.

LOON LAKE, N. Y., Aug. 8.—President Harrison is again with his wife at his quiet summer residence, having arrived Saturday. Mrs. Harrison still takes her meals at the cottage. Dr. Gardner, the physician who attended Mrs. Harrison on her arrival, is no longer here. He has been gone several days but it is understood that he will return in a few days. There is no denial of the fact that Mrs. Harrison is still a very sick woman. That she has improved to a wonderful degree is also certain. But the reports that she was entirely recovered are without foundation.

Brief Queen's Speech.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—The queen's speech, as communicated to the chiefs of the ministerial and opposition parties, is the briefest speech from the throne ever read in parliament. It formally intimates that parliament has not met for the transaction of business. It contains no reference to prospective legislation and is almost silent in regard to foreign affairs and Ireland. The queen simply says that no immediate work can be expected of the members so soon after the labors of the last session and the fatigues of the general election.

Demands Acceded To.

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 8.—At 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon word was received from Boston that the Union Pacific directors were willing to leave the matter in dispute to be settled by President Clark. Mr. Clark was at once telegraphed, and he replied that he would leave the decision with Assistant General Manager Dickinson. Mr. Dickinson then notified Mr. Ramsey that the demands of the men would be acceded to. As a result, the strike scheduled for 6 o'clock that evening was declared off.

Saturday's Baseball.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Chicago—Chicago, 6; Cincinnati, 1.
St. Louis—St. Louis, 3; Louisville, 2.
Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh, 1; Cleveland, 5.
Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 5; Washington, 1.

Sunday's Baseball.

St. Louis—St. Louis, 1; Louisville, 7.

Boycott Removed.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—At yesterday's meeting of Typographical union No. 6 it was agreed to take off all boycott from the Tribune as soon as the details of unionizing the Tribune have been settled. This consists of the formation of chapels, election of a chairman, etc. As soon as this has been done, circulars will be sent to all labor organizations and typographical unions informing them of the fact.

Effect of the Law.

DAVENPORT, Ia., Aug. 8.—It is said that the bids of two of the principal contractors for work on the Illinois and Mississippi canal (the Hennepin) have been rejected by the government because the estimates were not based on the eight hour day, as required by the new law. The effect of this will be to prevent doing much work on the canal this season.

What Cattlemen Will Do.

ENID, I. T., Aug. 8.—The leading cattle owners say they will sign their stock over to the Cherokee Indians before they will suffer the severe loss in making the long drive to western Texas. In view of the fact that the Cherokee nation and cattlemen are not now on the best of terms, it is a matter of conjecture whether this can be done.

Fire at Joplin.

JOPLIN, Mo., Aug. 8.—Fire broke out in the Joplin white lead works at 3:30 Saturday afternoon and raged furiously, notwithstanding the efforts of the firemen to control it. By 5 o'clock the blue room had been entirely destroyed and the flames spread rapidly to the other parts of the plant. The loss is heavy; insured.

Kolbe Will Make a Con Test.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 8.—Kolbe has declared his purpose to contest, in the 4th congressional district, the election of the late senator, and has announced that he will make a con test.

SECRET MISSION.

Gompers Tells of the Purport of His Trip to Homestead.

THE WORKMEN TO BE AIDED.

A Free Son of Israel Denounces the Anarchists—A Race War in New Jersey—Dan Tucker, a Negro, Stabbed For Getting in the Way.

HOMESTEAD, Pa., Aug. 8.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, has been in Homestead on a secret mission. As a result of his mission, the entire strength of the organization will be utilized to help win this fight. The 700,000 members of the federation will be asked to contribute money, and especially to be vigilant in the boycotting of Carnegie material and to prevent workmen from going to Homestead.

Mr. Gompers stayed for two hours in Homestead Saturday. He met the advisory committee and was shown the mill. Later he expressed confidence in the men winning and that the heartiest co-operation would be extended.

"Although the steel works is organized through the Amalgamated association into the Federation of Labor, yet I rejoice to say that the cause of the men has excited the sympathy and results in the financial aid of the Knights of Labor and unions not affiliated with either order," he said. "We shall leave nothing undone to bring victory to these gallant workmen."

Sunday has proven uneventful both at Duquesne and here. The men are avoiding the streets and the Carnegies are not introducing new workmen. Chaplain Adams, of the Sixteenth regiment, Pennsylvania guards, again conducted services in the mill. To-day battery B goes home, and on Tuesday the Fifth regiment. The Fifteenth and Sixteenth regiments will be left.

The advisory committee last night gave out that a roller received a letter from Manager Potter informing him that if he would return a charge of murder against him would be withdrawn and he would be given his old position.

The Anarchist Question.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Julius Harburg, grand master of the Independent Order Free Sons of Israel, addressing a meeting of the order here, said, among other things:

"In 1889, when the religious crusades in Roumania and imperial Russia took place against the Hebrews, emigration numbering thousands set in towards American shores. With the yearly increase, numbers of anarchists and nihilists, made so through a brutal government, came over with these unfortunates and preached their damnable and pernicious doctrines.

"They had forgotten the essence of the teachings of their fathers, that Judaism is a religion of law and order.

"The dastardly and cowardly attempt of a Russian murderer, dynamiter and anarchist upon the life of the manager of the Carnegie works has shown the effect of the pernicious doctrines that have been inculcated in the aliens who land on our shores without the first conception of the duties of an American citizen and the liberty afforded to every individual under our form of government.

"I am in favor of rigidly enforcing the return of all aliens who are known as nihilists, dynamiters and anarchists. Our flag is broad enough to embrace men of all creeds, colors and nationalities, but when they come here with torch and sword we have no room for them. As we guard our ports against cholera and disease, so we should ward off the approach of moral contagion or political disease."

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Surveyor—T. O. STANLEY.
Assessor—J. M. LOGAN.
Administrator—J. R. CLOPTON.
Constable—W. D. WALLACE.

WEATHER REPORT

For the 24 Hours Ending 3 O'Clock This Afternoon by C. G. Taylor.

| Wind | Cloudiness in tenths. | Temperature | Precipitation in inches. |
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| S | 0 | Mar. 75° Min. 73° | 0.00 |

Barometer 28.70.

Indications.

Fair, except showers in east; cooler.

BOOTH AT THE SEASHORE.

The Famous Actor in Flattering Health—Almost Too Feeble to Walk.

From the Cincinnati Enquirer.

NARRAGANSETT PIER, July 23.—Edwin Booth has arrived here and will remain until the close of the season and probably until well into the fall. He is stopping with his son-in-law, Ignatius V. Grossemann, who has a delightfully situated villa near St. Peter's-by-the-Sea. Mr. Booth is looking poorly. When he came here as the guest of E. L. Benedict, the owner of the steam yacht Oneida, he was almost too feeble to walk. The sea was calm enough to permit of a landing on the float, which is protected by the ruins of the old breakwater, just in front of the Casino, and there the tragedian was met by his daughter, Mrs. Grossemann. That she realized the weak physical condition of her father was apparent from her tender solicitude for him and the support she gave him as he tottered up the walk to the carriage way. Under the great arch of the Casino, which spans the ocean drive at this point, the famous old actor was met by a few friends, whom he greeted cheerfully. There was an effort to be the strong man once more. The shoulders were thrown back and the chin uplifted, but the voice was weak and faltering, the face pale, sickly and a little bloated, and the shoulders soon drooped and the weaker man asserted himself.

Edwin Booth, unless he should improve wonderfully, will not be seen upon the stage again; he is too far gone, and, judging from the little that has been seen of him this week, it would surprise none of the people at the Pier to learn at any moment that the brilliant light of America's stage had been suddenly snuffed out. Mr. Booth takes a great deal of pleasure in the company of his grandchildren. They are sturdy little beggars, and are zealously watched over and cared for by their mother, who is one of the most sensible little women at the Pier. Whenever they go to the Casino concerts at noon she is sure to be seen with them. She dresses her brood in common-place, health encouraging clothing, and they are in marked contrast with the strings of little puppets in silks, frills and laces, whose mothers have made fashion-plate guys of them. In this and in many other respects, and in true motherly instincts Mrs. Grossemann resembles Mrs. David H. Stevenson, the wife of the millionaire brewer, whose elegant stone villa, "Suwanee," on Point Judith road, is not surpassed by any in Newport for elegance and expensive furnishings.

An Accommodating Echo.

From the Tagliche Rundschau.

"There is a splendid echo in this wood, Herr Lehmann; it repeats

your call four times, and after a long interval, too!"

"There's nothing in that, mein Fraulein. When I go to bed at night, at my villa in the Grunewald, I shout into the wood, 'William, wake up!' and the echo wakens me at 5 prompt the next morning."

"He's All Right."

Col. J. L. Thornton is bobbing up serenely all over the state, proclaiming, as only this gentleman can, that Sedalia's great fair and kite track races will break all previous records of Missouri. He left this morning going south over the M., K. & T. to Fort Scott, Parsons and other prominent cities along the line to continue his good work. The following from the Fayette Democrat of last week is a compliment well bestowed upon this deserving gentleman:

"J. L. Thornton, press agent for the Missouri State fair, at Sedalia, is a hustler from hustlerville. He is the right man in the proper place. He knows everybody and everybody who knows him likes him. He is doing a great work for the fair, and if he does not succeed in bringing everybody in the state to the fair it is no fault of his. For six weeks Thornton has talked fair and kite-shaped track night and day, asleep or awake."

COMPELLED TO EAT DOG MEAT.

How Governor Mellette's Son Was Treated on An Indian Reservation.

From the Sioux Falls Press.

Details of the capture of Charles Mellette, son of Governor Mellette and clerk of the United States district court; S. B. Wallace, president of the Pierre street railway and electric light company; Nelson Gardener, foreman of the Wells cattle ranch, and Bronco Bob, their guide, were received Sunday in this city. Mellette and Wallace had started to accompany the other two across the Sioux Indian reservation for a two weeks' outing.

While crossing the Cheyenne reserve 140 miles northwest of Pierre and 100 miles from the Cheyenne agency they were captured by a squad of Indian police, the police having had orders to allow no whites to cross the reserve. Mellette and Wallace had a telegraph blank, but this the Indians refused to recognize. The prisoners were bound and placed in a tepee over night and the next day carted off to the Cheyenne agency.

Mellette, who was quite brown from the sun, was at first taken for an Indian named Crooked Leg, but the reds discovered the mistake and treated him as the rest. The boys were taken to the agency and locked in the guard house and the agent notified that some whites had been captured. When Agent Lillibridge found out who the captives were he informed the Indians that Mellette was the son of the great chief of the state and chief of the courts in which Indians were tried and that Wallace was rich and influential.

The Indian congress of the whole Sioux nation had just closed, and ten of the most prominent chiefs of the 10,000 Indians present were called together for a pow-wow, which lasted all day. After the Indians found out who the prisoners were they put on great airs and made big talk. Little-No-Heart, the greatest of the chiefs and the head of the court, said:

"Our treaty with the great father says no white man can cross our land without our consent. Our lands are small now, but no one can cross them. The white men have permission from Noble. Noble cannot give them that—not even the great father at Washington. But we will give these men the privilege to go where they please. They are good and influential men with their people. We will guide and protect them."

A dog feast was then ordered according to the Indian custom, and Wallace and Mellette, according to Indian etiquette, were compelled to partake.

Cures Effectually.

The Miner Institute cures drunkenness and leaves no bad effects. Other institutes injure the eyes and health. The Miner leaves a man stronger than when he began the treatment. It has been tested and proven in Sedalia. Two men have been cured and half a dozen others are satisfied that a few days more will make full men of them. Call at the rooms 515 Ohio street.

Special Candy Sale.

On next Wednesday, for one day only, we will sell our choice chocolate and French cream for 25 cents per pound. Everybody knows the superior richness and quality of these candies. Regular price, 40 cents per pound.

SICHER'S CAFE

"Sicher's cafe is at present one of the coolest places in the city. Revolving fans almost bring back winter as you are served with lemonades and their famous ice creams.

SHOP AND RAIL.

ITEMS OF INTEREST TO LOCAL TRAINMEN.

News About Different Roads, Employers and Employees.

Auditor Farley of the M. K. & T. went North at 10:40 a. m.

Frank Stevens is up from the Kansas deserts getting the sand and hay seed out of his hair.

Preparations for the construction of twelve new coal chutes were begun by the Pacific to-day.

Walter Graham came in from Parsons yesterday, blew the alkali dust off his big diamond and started out to dazzle his best girl.

A. W. Richards, who has been employed in the Pacific boiler shops several weeks, will return to his old love to-morrow, the electric car line.

B. F. Yoakman, general traffic manager for the Aransas Pass road, accompanied by his interesting family, passed through in his private car this morning en route to Chicago.

J. C. Short, employed in the Pacific machine shops, had a middle finger cut off Saturday afternoon about four o'clock. He was cared for at the Katy hospital and will be laid up for perhaps several weeks.

Heber Page, auditor for the M. K. & T. for Texas, is in the city, on business connected with his department. There is another attraction a few miles from here that Heber is greatly interested in, and Dame Rumor has it that he will lead to the alter a bride before cold weather sets in.—Parsons Sun.

Will J. Donnelly, than whom there is a no more popular nor courageous engineer on the Missouri Pacific, is feeling good to-day. Will held the throttle on the fast mail engine that collided with a freight train at Knobnoster several months ago, and in which Wood Wiley, engineer on the latter, lost a foot. Mr. Donnelly was temporarily suspended to await an official investigation for the purpose of locating the blame. Assistant General Manager George C. Smith decided the case at St. Louis last Saturday, and Mr. Donnelly was completely exonerated. He expects to resume his regular run in a few days.

PERSONALS.

J. H. Savage of Warsaw, is stopping at Sicher's.

Wm. Chalfant, Jr. of West Chester, Pa. is at Kaiser's.

Dr. R. J. Evans, of Boonville, spent the Sabbath here.

J. S. Powell, of Longwood, spent the Sabbath in the city.

W. C. Rowland, of Springfield, spent Sunday in Sedalia.

T. B. Nelson is representing Osceola in Sedalia to-day.

J. J. Russell, of California, was quartered at Kaiser's yesterday.

Col. J. W. Hall and daughter, Miss Sallie, are at Sicher's to-day.

Rush Elmore, the contractor, came in from Kansas City at noon.

Dr. G. S. Cathin, of Clinton, famous for its artesian wells, is in the city.

J. B. Colt, of Cliton was unfolding his napkin at Sicher's to-day.

H. Meuschke and Ted Spencer went to St. Louis at midnight last night.

Andy Mann, the big-hearted justice of the peace at Beaman, is in town to-day.

Mrs. Officer Jeff Eckles came home this morning from a visit with friends at Concordia, Mo.

Prof. Henry Clark, of the Otterville college, accompanied by his sister, spent part of the day in the city.

Rev. E. K. Porter, of Beaman, father of Mrs. Chas. Brown, of East Sedalia, spent yesterday at her home.

A. C. Baldwin left this morning for McAllister Springs where he hopes to benefit his health by the famous waters.

H. M. Settle and his friend, Mr. Canole, of Fayette, made their regular bi-monthly visit to the Queen City yesterday.

Dr. W. M. Carter, the dentist, and family are visiting at Waverly Mo., where they will spend a week with his parents.

Frank Faurete, a former Sedalia express messenger, now with the Dallas street car company, is in the city visiting friends.

D. D. Fuller, the old retired railroad veteran, is back from his usual summer sojourn at Hot Springs looking spry as a boy.

Mrs. Anna Sterthman, of No. 814 West fourth, is home after a pleasant visit with her daughter, Mrs. Will Baugh at Appleton City.

C. B. Hackney, manager of the Miner Institute, goes to Windsor

to-morrow to hold a temperance meeting in connection with his brother, the Rev. H. P. Hackney, of Clinton.

Dr. A. V. Small who has been complaining for several days left for McAllister Springs this afternoon to take a few days rest.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Herrold and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Griffith are home from a pleasant and beneficial stay at McAllister Springs.

Mr. F. E. Hoffman, wife and daughter, Miss Florence, left yesterday morning for Denver. They will spend a number of weeks in Middle Park.

Presiding Elder Hunter of the M. E. church, south, occupied Dr. North's pulpit morning and evening yesterday. He departed during the forenoon for Clinton.

Prof. C. H. Dutcher and Rev. J. Spencer, president and secretary of the Chautauqua, did not arrive at noon, as was expected, on account of the former's illness.

H. G. Clark and wife, Miss Weinert and Miss Helen Gallie, left yesterday morning in Mr. Clark's special car for Denver, and the West. They expect to go to the coast.

Aubrey L. Wisker, son of the well-known and popular editor of the Enterprise, was in the city to-day. He will in future be associated with his father on the paper.

Among those who came in from McAllister Springs this morning were Prof. C. W. Robbins, Miss Dollie O'Connor, Mrs. Pete Tarwater and mother, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Greene. The hotel and cottages are said to be well filled with a jolly lot of visitors.

J. P. Fagan, representing Barnum's circus, was in town to-day paralyzing Webster's dictionary while explaining the merits of his colossal show. Fagan is said to have already broken his jaw several times this season but is never knocked out as he can talk with his hands. Barnum can be expected in Sedalia about October 3rd.

Editor Van B. Wisker, of the Green Ridge Enterprise, was in town to-day attending the meeting of the prohibitionists. He was accompanied by his son, Aubrey, a fine looking young man and "a chip off the old block." He has just returned from Tuscarora, Nevada, where he has been engaged in mining and recuperating his health. He has secured both health and gold, and had a fine number of mineral specimens in town with him. He has associated himself with his father in the Enterprise. The Democrat wishes him success.

DEMOCRATIC CLUBS.

Lamonte, Smithton, Houstonia and Georgetown to Organize for the Battle.

The democratic county committee has recommended that on next Saturday night meetings be held at Lamonte, Houstonia, Smithton and Georgetown for the purpose of organizing democratic clubs preparatory to the great democratic rally to be held in Sedalia on August 30th.

Prominent local speakers from Sedalia and other points will address the meetings, and it is safe to say that the full democratic strength of each town named will be enlisted. The democrats of Sedalia and Pettus county propose that the rally in this city shall exceed all others in immensity, enthusiasm and in swelling the democratic majority in the state. A number will attend these meetings from Sedalia.

TOO MUCH FOR THEM.

The Sedalia Sports Knock Out a New Device in Short Order.

The managers of the new nickel-in-the-slot machines, by which five cents can be lost or fifteen cents won, threw up the sponge to-day and will seek other fields. They failed to sell their machines, as the bar-keepers did not consider them a good investment.

The fact of the matter is that the Sedalia gang has succeeded in "breaking the bank." A favorite method was to wet two nickels, slip them into the slot, and in many instances they would close up the channel leading to the where the money went to the bank. Having "fixed" things in this way, the Sedalia sport would draw in his nickels and have the satisfaction of seeing the coins roll out until the old machine was busted.

A Fine Finish.

Tramp—"I see you are advertising for a pants finisher."

Taylor—"Yes, but you hardly look as if you had had any experience."

Tramp—"Experience! If this pair I've got on ain't finished, I'd like to see a pair what is."—Brooklyn Life.

Get Out of the Way.

The work of putting up the electric car wire on Third was begun to-day. It will require but a few days to extend it to the park.

Saved a Woman's Life.

Mr. J. E. Thoroughgood, writing from Georgetown, Delaware, says: "Two teaspoonfuls of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy saved the life of Mrs. Jane Thomas, of this place." He also states that several other bad cases of bowel complaint there had been cured by this remedy. For sale by Aug. Fleischmann, druggist.

In the Springfield Band.

W. W. Walling left yesterday morning for Kansas City where he joined the Springfield, Mo., band with which he has been employed to go to Denver as clarinetist. Will is a good musician and expects to have a memorable time. The job is a sincere as he not only gets his expenses paid, but also draws a neat salary.

Are Now Railroaded.

A. R. Laird and Bryson Brown have lately accepted positions as conductors on the Sedalia Electric Street railway, and are now learning the road.

Juvenile Band.

Gregg's Juvenile Band has been complimented again by another generous offer to furnish music at Pertle Springs this week.

Ripans Tabules have come to stay.

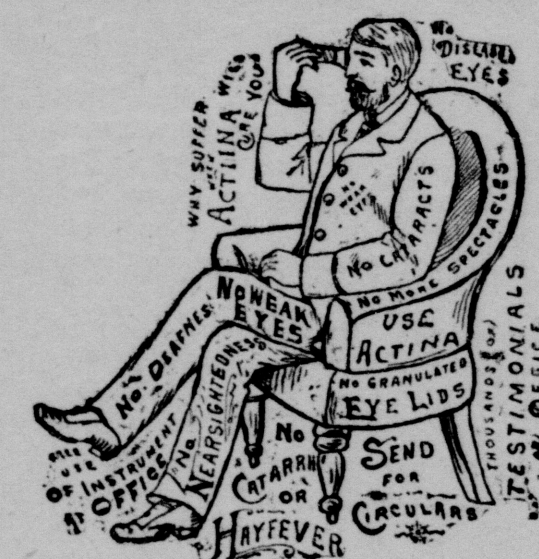
Wines and liquors, 112 Osage, Frank Krueger.

Read the EVENING DEMOCRAT.

Kite Shape Track

is completed, so is the stock of pure whiskies, wines, beer and all kinds of fine drinks at the Queen City bar, corner main and Kentucky street. J. G. FISHER.

Read the EVENING DEMOCRAT.



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A Burning Question



BIG EVENTS

At Kansas City, Mo., August, 1892—One Fare for the Round Trip.

Kansas City will don a holiday attire during the latter part of August. Two important meetings will be held within her gates: Supreme Lodge, Knights of Pythias, August 20th to 23d, and German Veteran Association, August 20th to 24th. To encourage travel the MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY will sell tickets from all points on its line to Kansas City at ONE FARE FOR THE ROUND TRIP. For further information in regard to dates of sale, limit of tickets, etc., call on or address nearest ticket agent.

Where Will You Spend Your Vacation?

The Burlington Route has on sale round trip tickets at greatly reduced rates to Denver, Colorado Springs, Salt Lake, San Francisco, Portland, Yellowstone Park, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Spirit Lake, the Black Hills, Puget Sound points, and to all tourist points in Colorado, Utah, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, Dakota, Minnesota, Alaska and California.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

Of the Evans Garden Cultivator Company, A Corporation.

Notice is hereby given that the first annual meeting of the stockholders of the Evans Garden Cultivator Company will be held in the city of Paris, Mo., on third Monday in August 1892 at the law office of J. H. Rhodes, secretary of said company, at which time the annual election of officers will be held in accordance with the constitution and by-laws of said corporation.

Attest: J. H. Rhodes, Secretary.

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PROF. A. J. MAURY agent for the Prof. W. C. Wilson magneto-conservative garments and "Actina" can be found at his office at No. 107 East Sixth street. All parties suffering from any disease will do well to call on him as he treats all kinds of diseases in either sex.

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Texas railroad, Hannibal to Fort Scott inclusive, to spend their Sundays comfortably and pleasantly, said railway will sell tickets on each Saturday and Sunday to Clinton, Mo., at rate of one fare for round trip, plus 25 cts, which will be good to return until following Monday. The Artesian lake and the park hotel at this point, with the pleasant surroundings and adequate facilities which the place affords for caring for large parties and assemblages, will make this place popular as a summer resort, as well as for the holding of meetings and conventions. For further information call on or address,

H. L. BERRY,
Local Agent.

Another Hotel.

The Le Grand Hotel on Lamine street has been re-opened by R. L. Blair. Everything will be first class and gilt edge. It is the only hotel in the city that has a Delmonico restaurant in connection with it. Everything will be served as ordered. Nothing will be left undone to keep the LeGrand in the lead, and we bespeak a good patronage and a success for Mr. Blair. The office will be under the supervision of Senator Richardson.

Borrow Money

At 6 per cent., on easy monthly payments, through the Phoenix Loan association; assets, July 23, 1892, \$1,044,340.94; estimated maturity, 84 months. Apply to Landmann & Hartshorn, under Missouri Trust Co., or W. F. Hansberger, vice-pres., room 11, Cassidy Bld'g, Sedalia, Mo.